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## A RIGHTEOUS LYNCHING. A Murderer Hanged by a Tennessee Mob.

FLORENCE, TENN., May 1.—George Ware, colored, was lynched by an infuriated mob at Muscle Shoals, Saturday night. Ware had murdered a white boy, aged twelve, to secure a small sum of money which had just been paid the boy. The amount was \$12. The boy's struggle for life was a pitiful spectacle, and was witnessed by a man on the opposite shore of the river from where the murder was perpetrated. After robbing the boy, the brute murderer threw him into the river eight times, but the boy swam back to shore. The murderer finally seized the boy, tied him, and beat out his brains with a stone, and threw him in the river again. Ware was arrested immediately after, the murder occurring on the 20th ult., and on Saturday night the mob visited the jail, carried the jailor's wife to another house, then took the prisoner and hung him to a beam in the depot building and riddled his body with bullets. The negro confessed.

## A SOUTHERN CYCLONE

### ATTENDED BY LOSS OF LIFE AND GREAT DESTRUCTION.

MERIDEN, LA., May 1.—A report has just reached here of a terrible cyclone that visited the parish seven or eight miles above this place. The length of the track was fifteen miles, and the wind blew with such terrific force that neither house, tree nor any obstruction was left. Rail fences were blown for miles, some stock killed. Irby White's dwelling was demolished and only one roof was left on the place out of twenty-four. One negro man and several children were injured. The quarters on S. J. Harrell's place were utterly demolished, and forty acres of heavy timbered land not a tree is left standing. The fences on the place were blown away, not a vestige of corn or fodder left. Mrs. Yondgblood was seriously, and several children were slightly, hurt. Several negroes were blown across a field, but uninjured. No one was killed or wounded, but few of the dwellings being directly in the track of the tornado.

### TWO SISTERS IN COURT AT A MURDER TRIAL. ONE THE WIFE OF THE MURDERER, THE OTHER WIDOW OF HIS VICTIM.

ATLANTA, GA., May 1.—The trial and conviction of James Stringer in the Lumpkin Superior Court had some dramatic features. The evidence was mainly that of the wife of the murdered man, who testified that Stringer and two or three other men came to the house at 9 o'clock at night and called him out. Having heard of threats against him he refused to go, but she went to the door to parley with them, and he endeavored to escape by another door. Opening it he made a noise, which attracted their attention. They ran around the house in time to see him leap from the door, and his wife, likewise rushing in that door, saw the stranger raise a pistol and fire, and saw her husband reel and the crowd follow him off. The trial attracted much attention, ladies crowding the court-room. The jury found the prisoner guilty. When Judge Estes pronounced the sentence the prisoner, who had been stoical and unmoved throughout the whole, rose and asked leave of the Court to say a few words to the wife of Gaddis, who had been the principal witness against him. The Judge refused to do so, but told him, he might say anything he desired to say if in a respectable and proper manner. At this he broke down utterly and wept bitterly, but offered no remarks. Stringer and Gaddis were both young, and married sisters, each having been married but a short time. While the young widow, with her little babe at her breast, sat on the stand and swore to Stringer's guilt she looked straight into the eyes of her young sister, a girl almost a child, slender and helpless, who sat by the side of her guilty husband to bear her own sister swear his life away. It was a scene to make the stoutest heart stand still with horror.

### A VERY POOR HOUSE.

SELDALIA, Mo., May 1.—The Sedalia Democrat has discovered and unearthed a state of affairs in the county poorhouse of this county that rivals in its horrors the Tewkesbury Almshouse revelations. The Poor Farm is about twelve miles from the city, and is seldom visited by any one. There are twenty-one insane, idiotic and bed-ridden patients in it, and the description of their filth, their sufferings and disease is simply sickening and disgraceful to any Christian community. The sick are without attention, and sometimes without necessary food.

### SMALLPOX IN INDIANA.

GREENSBURG, IND., May 1.—Considerable excitement at present exists at and near Westport, in the southern part of this county, over the discovery of several cases of smallpox in that vicinity. T. J. Burns was in Illinois a short time since, and was exposed. After returning home he was taken sick, and before it was known what was ailing him many of his friends and neighbors had called to see him, and seven cases are already reported. No deaths have yet occurred.

## Guiteau's Miserable Brain.

### THE EXECUTION OF THE ASSASSIN & JUDICIAL MURDER.

#### SO SAYS A REPORT OF THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR THE PROTECTION OF THE INSANE.

NEW YORK, May 1.—Unless the several physicians engaged in the movement are dissuaded from their purpose at the last moment, the Guiteau controversy will be revived at the meeting of the American Medical Association, now near at hand in a manner to attract wider attention and to insure larger publicity than has yet been given to the insanity issue. The death of Dr. George M. Beard, who, as the representative of the American Association for the Protection of the Insane, was expected to open the discussion by reading a paper on the "Medico-Legal Questions Involved in the Case of the Late Charles J. Guiteau."

TEMPORARILY DISARRANGED THE PLANS of the little knot of able men who have interested themselves in obtaining a reversal of the popular, or at least the medical, judgment on the question whether Guiteau was properly convicted and executed. That is, was he insane, and should he have been so adjudged; and, if insane, was his mania of such a type as within the meaning of the law to render him irresponsible for his acts? Was he in, other words, a subject for the lunatic asylum or for the hangman—which?

In addition to the discussion of the strictly medical issues involved, as the official and representative authority of the profession of the United States, the American Medical Association will be asked to pass a resolution or resolutions defining the nature of expert evidence, the manner of its presentation in legal tribunals, and the rights of physicians in courts of law. The death of Dr. Beard appears to have devolved the leadership of the movement upon Dr. Edward C. Spitzka, than whom, though the senior of Dr. Beard by some years, no more persistent, active and aggressive leader could be named; but it has the support of many experts, among whom may be mentioned Dr. W. W. Throlding, Superintendent of the Government Asylum at Washington; Dr. Kierman, the author of the recent paper on mania à deux, presented in "Contributions to Psychiatry," and of many other distinguished immortals, such as Arnold, Shakespeare and McConnell.

There is no avenue left, in Dr. Spitzka's opinion, for the men who have persistently urged that the execution of an insane man or murder in disregard to popular prejudice and clamor was a national disgrace to take their view of the case fairly heard, except to make an appeal to the American Medical Association, and to put themselves on the record in the transactions of that body. The idea has gone forth that Guiteau's brain was not seriously diseased, and that such changes from the healthy condition as were actually discovered were not of the kind that indicate insanity; moreover, according to Dr. Spitzka, the reason was really misquoted in addition to being misinterpreted; and thus the press of the United States was committed to statements that have never been corrected. Court Professor J. W. S. Arnold, Dr. E. O. Shakespeare and Dr. J. C. McConnell—appointed by Dr. Lamb to make the examination—

#### REALLY DID SAY

conclusion was:

Your committee have no hesitation whatever in affirming the existence of unquestionable evidence of decided and settled disease of the minute blood-vessels in numerous minute diffused areas, accompanied by alterations in the cell elements in the specimens of the brain submitted to their examination. While the lesions were most marked in the striated body and the frontal section of the cerebral convolutions, yet they very diffusely pervaded all portions of the organ.

"THE FACTS STATED BY THE COMMITTEE," said Dr. Spitzka, "indicated that disease had been for many years. The lesions were diffuse, not local; involved the membranes, the convolutions, the deep-seated centres, and the white substance; and the nerve cells showed the results of long continued and slowly produced disturbance, with an extensive degree of atrophy established in the layers of the convolutions." In the presentation of the subject before the American Medical Association the interpretation of such facts as those described by the committee will be referred to such European authorities as Griesinger, Parshappe, Kraft-Ebing, Einninghaus and Kindt-Liesch. Able members of the profession, of all shades of opinion as to the merits of the case, have not hesitated to say that the examination of experts on the Guiteau trial forms one of the most disgraceful episodes in the history of our medical jurisprudence, and that such a seal of disapproval should be put upon it by the collective voice of medical men as to prevent the future occurrence of such spectacles.

The mere reading of a paper on the subject is consequently but an entering wedge for the gentlemen engaged in the movement. They will ask for a resolution to the effect that our method of examining expert witnesses ought to be reformed, in view of the facts shown by a calm review of the facts in the Guiteau

case, and for the formation of a committee to examine into the subject of medical jurisprudence, expose its anomalies and suggest how to correct them. That the movement will cause

#### A STORMY DISCUSSION

Is evident from the intense feeling entertained on both sides; but nearly a year has passed since the death sentence of Guiteau was executed, and possibly a larger proportion of medical men may be ready to view the issue of his irresponsibility dispassionately than was the case six months ago. It is asserted by Dr. Spitzka and others that a complete reaction in public opinion has taken place since the sentence was carried out, and that the majority of physicians whose opinions are worth anything on the subject are now outspoken in the belief that the man was profoundly insane and was improperly executed. A few days will tell.

#### THE SOUTHERN CYCLONE.

DALLAS, TEXAS, May 1.—The latest from the cyclone near Belton says: On the outskirts of the tornado ball of an extraordinary size fell like showers of grape, hail stones the size of a man's fist were found in great numbers, and many even larger. It was not uncommon to pick up halfstones five inches in diameter from Temple to within three miles of Belton. Much stock was killed. One family of seven took refuge in a cellar just in time to escape being carried away with the house, which was lifted up bodily and carried 400 yards in the air, when it found was dashed to pieces. Clifford Franklin, wife and son are among the dead found killed.

NASHVILLE, April 30.—A Tennessee Democrat Meridian says: A terrible cyclone visited this parish seven or eight miles above here on Saturday from northeast to southwest. The length of the track was ten miles. The wind was of such terrific force that in a horse, wagon or any vehicle was lost. Dr. F. Johnson's gun-barrel and other belongings are blown away. W. H. Taylor's house was badly wrecked, and S. D. Hargrave's place on the pines. Cais and rails were uprooted and snatched while rails on the fences were blown down for miles.

#### THAT'S SO THE IT.

STERLING, ILL., May 1.—Justice May has decided the Scout liquor law unconstitutional. A saloon keeper selling without the written consent of the landlord being arrested, his defense was that the law was unconstitutional because it impaired existing contracts. The Justice gave the opinion that the law was unconstitutional because the law was unequal and impaired existing contracts.

#### ANOTHER SHINE HORROR.

ASHLAND, PA., May 1.—An explosion of gas in the Keystone Colliery killed August Motcher, Patrick Reagan, and Andrew Jones, and seriously wounded Charles Tyler and Cooney Watters. The explosion was caused by the sliding of a pillar, pushing a large volume of gas into contact with the lamps of the miners. The force of the explosion was terrific.

## THE TYPE-SETTING WONDER.

### A MACHINE WHICH IS CAUSING ALARM TO COMPOSERS,

#### NOT EDITORS NOT ENTIRELY UNNECESSARY UNTIL A SHEARS-ATTACHMENT IS COMPLETED.

MILWAUKEE, May 1.—The previous account regarding the wonderful capabilities of Benton's Type-Setting Machine have caused the deepest interest and anxiety among the working printers, and as fuller information is obtained that anxiety is not lessened. Among printers here to-day the report of the invention has aroused a great deal of interest. The invention is the production of self-spacing type, which will only greatly facilitate all kinds of composition, but will make correct spacing a certainty in all kinds of work. Experiments made with a number of compositors show that they can set up as much matter with this new type in seven and one-half hours as can be set in ten with common type. In other words, the invention will from the start reduce the cost of composition 25 per cent. The principle of the invention is this: Every character of the alphabet in each of the different fonts is made on a body which is a multiple of a certain unit of space. For instance, let the width of the lower case "i" be this unit of space. The lower case "a" will then be equal to two of these spaces, or twice as wide; the lower case "m" three times, and so on through the alphabet. The spaces and quads, instead of being a certain proportion of the body, as formerly, are the same size as the lower case "i," and multiples of it. In thus changing the units of space none of the characters are changed in appearance.

## THE TROUBLED OLD WORLD.

### MUTTERINGS AND ALARMS FROM ACROSS THE BIG POND.

#### UNION LIES THE HEAD THAT WEARS A CROWN, ESPECIALLY IN RUSSIA—DISCOVERY OF ANOTHER PLOT AND INDISCRIMINATE ARRESTS IN ST. PETERSBURG.

#### FITZHARRIS ACQUITTED—NEVINS RELEASSED.

DUBLIN, May 1.—The cab driver Fitzharris, alias Skin the Goat, on trial charged with being one of the principals in the Phoenix Park murders, was acquitted by the jury to-day.

Taylor Nevins, arrested Saturday charged with conspiracy to murder, and who subsequently turned informer, has been released from custody. It is believed he knew nothing of a conspiracy.

#### SENDING DYNAMITE BY MAIL.

LONDON, May 1.—It is reported to-day that a letter has been received by Mr. Foster, Secretary of Ireland, containing explosives. The parcel came through the mail, but its character was detected in time to prevent it being opened in such a way as to injure any one. It was stopped by a clerk in the postoffice, whose attention was attracted to the peculiar appearance of the paper and whose suspicions were strengthened by the address. Orders have been issued to watch Mr. Foster's mail very closely.

#### FRANCE.

PARIS, May 1.—The Journal Des Debats says that a defensive triple alliance is useless. It most emphatically declares that France does not intend to attack anybody; on the contrary, that she means peace and will do her best to secure it for Europe.

#### ENGLAND.

LONDON, May 1.—The Dean of Windsor is dead.

LONDON, May 1.—The improved facilities for troop transportation now being organized by the Government attract attention as probably indicating a danger of the necessity for a more active policy in Ireland, although the London journals which receive information from official sources do not make the proposed military change sound to Ireland, but allude to it in the following fashion:

The War Office will shortly order a considerable increase of the Land Transport Corps, both in England and Ireland, in other countries where troops are on duty. The fact remains that the improved service is begun first and only in Ireland, where the Ministry seems to think it may be used at any day.

#### Egyptian Troubles.

Cairo, May 1.—The excitement over the riots at Port Said Sunday and Monday, has spread to Upper Egypt, and trouble is reported both here and at Alexandria. Riots outbreaks may occur at any time. The police feeling is very strong against foreigners, and the fellahs in some way manage to keep well informed as to the movements of the False Prophet, El-Mehdi in the Sudan, and as to his success and reverses.

#### UNITED SECURITY SUPPLEMENTED BY FRESH ALARMS.

BERLIN, May 1.—Private advices and press dispatches alike indicate much less fear than has heretofore prevailed concerning any sensational tragedy likely to accompany the coronation ceremonies a fortnight hence. Friends of the Czar and Empress at the German court say that the two Majesties are both in excellent health and good spirits, and not only have no personal fear, but are satisfied that the arrangements as perfected preclude any real danger of successful interference by the nihilists. If they have any apprehension of danger or personal violence, they have at least been carefully concealed from persons who certainly possess their friendly confidence. All the really efficient leaders and dangerous members of the revolutionary party have been seized, and are now harmless, dead, or in prison. The Chief of Police of Moscow has greatly increased his staff of detectives, and all strangers arriving at Moscow are subjected to the strictest surveillance until the authorities are satisfied that there is some legitimate reason for their presence.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 1.—A conspiracy has been discovered among the military officers stationed on garrison duty here, and seven officers of various ranks were to-day placed under arrest. It is said that nihilistic documents were found in their possession, together with plans of the Kremlin and Winter Palace, which are supposed to be connected with some scheme for destroying the Czar's life during the coronation ceremonies.

The authorities have discovered a vast and well planned military conspiracy to overthrow the Romanoffs. High military officers are said to

be implicated, and the ramifications of the conspiracy run through various grades of the army. Numerous arrests have been made, causing tremendous excitement in military and political circles. It is reported also that the peasantry have a knowledge of the military conspiracy and guard it. All classes are excited at the summary arrests which the police are making in every part of the city.

#### CALLING MINISTER SARGENT TO ACCOUNT.

BERLIN, May 1.—The North German Gazette to-day asks Minister Sargent to explain the fact of his signature to the article in the New Yorker Handels Zeitung published on the 10th ult.

#### GREECE PROHIBITS AMERICAN PORK.

ATHENS, May 1.—The Greek Government has issued an order prohibiting the importation of American pork, fearing that shipments of diseased meat will be thrown on the market, and that Greece may be used indirectly to enter the German markets of meat intended to be excluded.

#### ENDANT KILLED.

WAPAKONETA, O., May 1.—An infant son of W. E. Potter fell out of a high chair and was killed. His mother had only been absent from the room a few minutes, and when she returned found the child in the agonies of death.

#### AFTER RAUM'S SIT.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—The names of Benjamin Batterworth, of Ohio; J. C. Bouroughs, of Michigan; H. S. Neil, of New Jersey; S. H. Dunnell, of Minnesota, and Abram Fulkerson, of Virginia, are mentioned by their friends as successors to Internal Revenue Commissioner Raum. Deputy Commissioner Rogeris also making a fight for the place.

#### FORTY SHOTS

#### AND ONLY ONE MAN KILLED—ANOTHER KENTUCKY AFFRAY.

MCKINNEY, KY., May 1.—A regular battle occurred in a drinking-house at this place yesterday. Bob, Tom and Oo Smith, James Haffey and Jim Yoem, on one side, and Jim, Pete and Bill Cain on the other, met in a saloon when Haffey provoked a row by reminding the Cains that the Smiths had assisted in their arrest when a reward was offered for them. A general shooting and cutting then commenced, and it is said that fully forty shots were fired. After the melee it was found that Bell Cain had been shot through the head; Pete Cain was slightly shot in the head and cut in the back with a hatchet; Jim Cain, cut in the shoulder, and Bob Smith cut in the head with a rock and shot in the mouth. Haffey ran as soon as the trouble commenced, and Yoem got off before an officer arrived. The Smiths were captured and held over to an examining trial to be held on Thursday. It was a hard crowd on both sides, the Cains especially, they having been before the courts repeatedly.

#### A SUPREME COURT DECISION.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—The decision of the Supreme Court, in the case of the Parkersburg & Ohio River Transportation Company vs. City of Parkersburg, is of interest to all Ohio river towns and cities that have wharf fees. The decision, which was delivered by Justice Bradley, was that United States courts cannot protect steamboats against exorbitant charges for wharfage until Congress by legislation regulates such charges under the commerce clauses of the Constitution. Justice Harlan only dissented upon the grounds that no local authorities, in absence of legislation by Congress, could impose wharfage charges upon boats running upon navigable waters of the country under the license of the United States, except to the extent of just and reasonable compensation for the issue of such improved commercial facilities; that when the charges exceeded that limit they constituted obstruction and burden upon commerce, which the court could remove or prevent as readily as they could by injunction, or other process, prevent the construction of bridges across navigable streams such as the Ohio and Mississippi, erected without authority of Congress, and which strictly interfere with free navigation.

#### CHICAGO WIRE FIGHT.

CHICAGO, May 1.—The Western Union Telegraph Company has filed a bill in the Federal Court here to-day to enjoin the city authorities from severing wires and removing poles of the company, under the ordinance which goes into effect to-day, and thus avert the action taken against the Mutual Union Company two months ago. The company asserts that it has acquired vested rights in the city, and that the theory of underground telegraphy is at present impracticable.

#### HEAVY SUIT BROUGHT.

COLUMBUS, O., May 1.—A big suit for the recovery of a large amount of money was entered in the Franklin Common Pleas to-day. The plaintiff is Judge Bates, and the defendant Alfred D. Kelley, the former asking judgment for about \$25,000, which he alleges to be due him for money loaned Kelley at different times. The alleged transactions cover a period extending from 1879 to 1881.

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BATU county has instructed for Hon. Van B. Young, for Lieutenant Governor.

Col. E. Polk Johnson has withdrawn as a candidate for Lieutenant Governor.

The importation of American pork into Greece has been forbidden by the government.

ONLY twelve Texas Legislators are natives of that State. Fifteen of them are Kentuckians.

The Legislature of Delaware has passed a bill appropriating \$5,000 for the support of the colored public schools in that State.

No State in the Union can "boast" of a case of paper treatment so "low down" as the Tewksbury case in staid old Massachusetts, which Governor Butler has exposed.

During the month of April \$10,000,000 were paid out by the Government on account of pensions. Owing to the expenditure of this sum the reduction of the public debt amounted to only \$3,500,000.

W. N. HORART, of the firm of Maddux & Hobart, of Cincinnati, is urged by prominent men of that city, as the successor of Gen. Raum as Commissioner of Internal Revenue. Gen. Raum resigned his office on Saturday.

The National re-union of the ex-soldiers and sailors of the late war will be held at Columbus, O., on the 24th of July and will continue until the 27th. It is expected to be the largest affair of the kind ever held in this country.

The Danes do not share in the opinions of their neighbors, the Swedes, with reference to the need of war appliances. They are strengthening their army and fortifying their coast. Germany has a greedy, longing eye on Denmark, and the plucky Danes are preparing for the worst.

The Kentucky Education Committee met at Louisville on Monday and arrangements were perfected for a thorough organization of the State by the appointment of committees for districts and counties. A general education demonstration will be arranged for next September.

ALABAMA's new revenue law has been declared void by the Supreme Court, because an amendment was omitted from the enrolled bill. It lowered the tax from sixty-five to fifty-five cents, and the people can choose between a \$10,000 extra session of the Legislature or sixty-five cents taxes for two years.

Still Shandering the Chicago Girls.  
News Letter.

They are now telling a story about a Chicago girl, who insisted on throwing her shoe after a newly married couple. The carriage is a total wreck, a doctor has the bride and horse under treatment and large numbers of men are searching in the ruins for the groom.

Washington Pointers.

WASHINGTON, May 1.—It is estimated that the decrease in the public debt for the month of April amounts to only \$3,500,000, as a result of \$10,000,000 having been paid out during the month on account of pensions.

The issue of standard silver dollars from mints for the week ending April 28, was \$168,000, and for the corresponding period of last year \$161,000.

Treasurer Wyman to-day mailed 8,119 checks to pay \$1,254,467 due to-day on the 3 per cent. loan of '82; 1,467 checks to pay \$12,370 due on funded loan of '86, also checks amounting to \$5,450,266 in payment of bonds on the 12th call maturing to-morrow.

In the patent case of Stan & Payton vs. Moses G. Farmer for improvement in electric lighting, the Secretary of the Interior affirmed the action of the Commissioner of Patents, awarding priority of invention to Farmer.

The President has not yet signed the commission of Keim as Chief Examiner over the Civil Service Commission.

Shoots His Partner by Mistake.

BOSTON, May 1.—Albert H. Beals, of the firm of Beals & Perley, spice dealers, Boston, shot and killed his partner, Trickett Perley, on the Fall river steamer Bristol, Sunday night, mistaking him for some one trying to break into their room.

Immoral Books.

MONTREAL, May 1.—The Minister of Customs filed answer in seizure in the case of Paine & Voltaire's Works. He alleges their importation is illegal, as these publications are of an immoral and indecent character.

RIVER INTELLIGENCE.

CINCINNATI, May 1.—River 29 feet 5 inches and falling.

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 1.—River 7 feet and 3 inches on falling.

Louisville, May 1.—River falling, with 12 feet 1 inch in canal, 10 feet 1 inch in channel.

Employers Take a Hand in Striking.

ALBANY, May 1.—The cigar manufacturers have agreed to discharge all their men. The Cigar Makers' Union demanded \$2 per thousand in advance, but the manufacturers were only willing to give \$1. To-day all shops, save where girls are employed, and one shop where half a dozen union men receive the advance asked for as work, are closed. The manufacturers say they will not accede to the demand.

DYNAMITE.

Its Invention and History, and How It is Made.

Dynamite is one of the many products or combinations of nitro-glycerine, and is about thirteen times as powerful as gunpowder. The discovery of this dangerous and potent explosive was made in 1846 by Ascanio Sobrero, then a pupil in the laboratory of Pelanze, the eminent French Chemist, who devoted twenty years of his life to the investigation of the chemistry of oils and fats.

Dynamite was patented in the United States May 26, 1868 the patent being granted to Alfred Nobel, of Hamburg, Germany, assignor to John Bandmann, of San Francisco. It consists of a combination of nitro-glycerine with a substance of absorbent power, such, for instance, as fuller's earth or rotten stone. By this composition the explosiveness of the nitro-glycerine is controlled, as it were, and the compound is capable of withstanding all the ordinary dangers of transportation, while at the same time its explosive power is not lessened. The process of manufacture is very simple. You take a certain proportion of nitric and sulphuric acid and mix them with certain other proportions of glycerine, which is the essence of fat, to make the nitro-glycerine. To make dynamite you only need to mix nitro-glycerine with some absorbent material—fuller's earth is the best—to have dynamite.

An Old Letter from the First Kentucky Law.

Kentucky State Journal.

The following is a true copy of a letter written by Daniel Boone in 1789 to Thomas Hart. The original is the property of Mr. Henry Clay, of Louisville, and was found among the papers which have come down through several generations as heirlooms in the Clay family. The letter is written on heavy parchment, not ruled, the folding and wafer seal show that it went without envelop. The chirography is not bad, but the orthography is, as will be seen, not the most perfect, though there will be found many Kentuckians whose education has been less neglected than was Boone's, who perchance would not greatly improve upon it. The capitals are his, and there is no punctuation. The letter is addressed to Col. Thomas Hart, Haghers Town, and is as follows:

May the 7th 1789—Dear Sir This instant I start Down the River My Two Sunes Return immediately from Philadelphia and Daniel Worst sunis goods in order to take in Gensys at Lime Stone I hope you Will Wright me by the Bearer Mr Geo how you can on With my Houses—I Hear the Indians have Kilt sum pepel neer Lime Stone and Stote a num ber houses—Indeed I Saw a man Who Was dead—When I told also they Warne Ware Certainly kill on the head of Duke Creek on this Rylandon Side Days Since thirty miles from Bad stone I likewise saw a later yesterday from Miskeadon To Mr Calashy at the old port that 300 Indians are certainly sit out from Breytroyght to Way Lay the river at Diergent place to Take Botes Sun say 700 Sun say 100 But the Letter Cantifies of 300 this a comupt You may rely on I am Dear with Respects Your Oimble Servant my Best Com'm to Mrs Hart Col Rochester and Lady.

DANIEL BOONE

City Property For Sale.

THREE-STORY brick on Market street, two-story brick on corner of Third and Limestone, two-story frame on Third street, two vacant lots on south side of Fourth street, small brick house on Catholic alley, vacant lot on the Fleming pike. H. J. POWELL apdly.

REMOVAL.

G. A. McCARTHEY has removed his Queensware store to the building on Sutton street, two doors below Second street. my5dly

F. H. TRAXEL,  
Baker and Confectioner

FRESH OYSTERS A SPECIALTY.

The only manufacturer of PURE STEAK CANDY in the city. Orders for weddings and parties promptly attended to. my5dly

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The following are among the leading Business Establishments of Maysville. Customers will find these houses reliable and occupying a commanding position in their respective lines.

A. G. BROWNING, M. D.,

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.

Office and residence south-east corner of Third and Sutton streets, apdly

A. M. ROGERS,

DEALER IN—

Boots, Shoes, Hats and Caps.

11 E. Sec. St., mech3ly MAYSVILLE, KY.

A. FINCH & CO.,

DEALERS IN—

GRAIN, FLOUR and HEMP.

Cor. Third and Sutton Streets, mech3ly MAYSVILLE, KY.

A. HONAN'S

BOOT AND SHOE STORE.

Custom work especially. Large stock. All kinds at lowest prices. No. 47, Market street, two doors below H. A. Richardson & Co.'s grocery, idly & wldly MAYSVILLE, KY.

BURGESS & SOLIN,

Dealers in Staple and Fancy—

DRY GOODS.

No. 3, Enterprise Block, Second Street, apdly

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Second street, next door to Dr. Martin's, apdly MAYSVILLE, KY.

C. S. MINER & BRO.,

Dealers in—

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Plans and Specifications furnished and all work promptly and satisfactorily done. Shop on second street, opposite High school, apdly

GEO. COX & SON,

Dealers in Staple and Fancy—

DRY GOODS,

SECOND STREET.

Mech3ly MAYSVILLE, KY.

GEO. ORT, JR.,

—Sole agent for the—

Perfection BOOT Cleaner,

Which is a hood a mat and boot scraper. Price only \$1.50. Best thing of the kind ever invented.

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HOLT RICHESON,

—Dealer in Staple and Fancy—  
GROCERIES, has REMOVED from his old stand to the building on Second street lately occupied by Charles H. Frank, apdly

HUNT & DOYLE,

—Every new shade in—

DRESS GOODS,

Crushed Strawberry, Electric Blue, Egyptian etc., and new Trimmings to match. Second St., mech3ly MAYSVILLE, KY.

J. C. OWENS & CO.

This space has been reserved for their advertisement.

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JOHN WHEELER.

Daily FISH Market.

River, Lake and salt water fish. Prices reduced this day to 8 and 10 cents a pound. Market street, a18 MAYSVILLE, KY.

J. R. SOUSLEY,

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Plans and Specifications furnished promptly and on reasonable terms. Office on Fourth street between Market and Limestone, apdly

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Oldest and best Companies. Insures for low rates. Losses promptly paid. No discounts. No delays. Office corner Third and Market streets, apdly

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**THE DAILY BULLETIN.**  
WEDNESDAY EVENING, MAY 2, '83



Go and get the silver spike,  
To fix the iron rail,  
And over each and every car,  
The gilded horse shoe nail.  
And let us help it right along,  
And when its running snug,  
Let Thomas open for good luck,  
His fifty-year-old jug.

New potatoes have put in an appearance at \$1 a peck.

A good towel for five cents may now be had at Burgess & Nolin's.

MR. FRED. OTTO is improving his business house on Market street.

THERE will be a total eclipse of the sun next Sunday but it will not be visible in this country.

The Adelphian Circle at a meeting last Monday night, instructed solidly for J. Proctor Knott, for Governor.

WORKMEN are engaged this week digging the foundations for Mr. Newton Cooper's tobacco warehouse, on Front street.

MAYSVILLE public school No. 1 was closed yesterday afternoon, through respect to the memory of the late Louis Traxel.

ELDER W. H. TILLER, pastor of the Christian Church at Maysville, will commence a protracted meeting next Sunday assisted by Rev. A. N. Gilbert, of Maysville.

THE steamer St. Lawrence passed up this morning with a band of music and one hundred and fifty excursionists who had been attending the Dramatic Festival at Cincinnati.

A TELEGRAM was received this morning by Mr. Salomon stating that Mr. T. C. H. Vance, manager of the United States Electric Light Company, will be in Maysville in a few days.

MR. M. C. HUTCHINS real estate agent, sold Tuesday to Mrs. Alice Keith Adamson for A. R. Glascock, the residence in the brick row, now occupied by Mrs. T. K. Berry, for \$2,800.

THE funeral of Mr. Louis Traxel, yesterday afternoon, was one of the largest that ever passed through the city. The procession was over half a mile in length. Hancke's reed and brass band, the Old Fellows, German Relief Society and operatives of the cotton Mills constituted the foot procession.

The following letter received this morning by Messrs. Morrison & Kackley explains itself:

MACON, GA., April 30, 1883.  
Gentlemen: I enclose twenty-five cents for which please send a photograph of the old market house. I bought many a basketful of marketing when a boy in my dear old home Maysville. Read the item in the DAILY BULLETIN last week. Respectfully, C. HERDR.

MESSRS. MOSE DAULTON & BRO. sold a few days ago to Mr. Strandathan, of Cumberland, O., a black gelding by King William, born by Denmark; to William Wales, of Olean, N. Y., a black combined gelding, pedigree unknown, and to James Carboy & Bros of Bedford, Pa., a roan gelding by Duryea's Denmark, dam a thoroughbred mare.

THE number of children of school age in Maysville, according to the census which has just been completed, is as follows:

White males.....	687
" females.....	706
Total.....	1,393
Colored males.....	129
" females.....	174
Total.....	361

**PERSONALS.**

Miss Maggie Flanagan, of Maysville, is visiting Miss Anna Dillon, of this city.

Mr. Jason D. Hewitt, of Rutland, Vermont, visited the family of Mr. S. J. Daugherty, last week.

Misses Nellie Cady and Julia Burrows will leave this afternoon for Cincinnati to attend the Dramatic Festival.

The "constantly tired-out" feeling so often experienced is the result of impoverished blood and consequent enfeebled vitality. Ayer's Sarsaparilla feeds and enriches the blood, increases the appetite, and promotes digestion of the food and the assimilation of its strengthening qualities. The system being thus invigorated, the feeling rapidly changes to a grateful sense of strength and energy.

**THE MAY MEETING.**

Fine Sport Promised and Fast Time Expected—Excursion Rates—Special Arrangements for the Exhibition of the Great Attractions of the Turf.

St. Julien, Monroe Chief, Little Brown Jug and Capt. Lewis.

The management of the Maysville Trotting Association are wide awake and alive to every interest, offering purses that will attract, in regular competition, the best trotters in America, and in addition to which a special committee has been sent to visit the owners of the most celebrated horses in America, and make special arrangements, whenever possible, for the exhibition of these animals on our grounds during the ensuing races.

It is pretty certain that arrangements will be made with Mr. Hickok, of San Francisco, for the appearance of that celebrated gelding, St. Julien, 2:11, and who will doubtless lower that over our track, and thus beat the world as a trotter. At Hartford, for the first time on any track, the blackboard was illuminated with 2:11, 2:11, 2:12 in an actual race with all the disadvantages thereby implied. This record was made by the noted side-wheeler, Little Brown Jug, now the property of Commodore Ritton, of Minnesota, and is the fastest three successive heats ever won in harness. The Commodore has over a million dollars in fine horses—trotters, pacers and runners—and the best of the former will be entered at Maysville during the May meeting. Chief among which will be that rare attraction Little Brown Jug, who sold as two-year-old for \$27,50, the purchaser re-selling for \$10. This occurred five years ago, and the animal is now valued at \$30,000, and is the fastest pacer in the world. Monroe Chief, winner of the free for all stallion race last September, at Chicago, is the property of Budd Doble, and has the fastest two-mile record ever made in harness. These are but a few of the attractions that will be offered to interest the people of this section. Rainard, half-brother to Jerome Eddy, who sold last month for \$25,000, is now on the track, as is also Henry Clay, the fleet Mollie Harris, Pegasus, and others. They will be supplemented in a few days by Bay Billy, Romeo, Director, Ruby, Bliss, Fannie Witherspoon, Von Armin, Lucy, Mattie Hunter, and other celebrated horses, so taking the arrangements all in all, the outlook for a grand and thrilling meeting was never better.

Following is a letter from Mr. Brown, traveling and passenger agent of the Kentucky Central Railroad, who is always liberal and accommodating:

CINCINNATI, Ky., April 29, 1883.

J. D. Kehoe, Esq., Secretary Trotting Association, Maysville, Ky.—Dear Sir: Regarding to yours of 26th inst., I am pleased to advise you that special excursion tickets will be on sale at all stations on this line at reduced rates, from May 14th to 18th, good to return until the 19th. Yours truly, C. L. BROWN, General Passenger and Ticket Agent.

In regard to boat to run from Maysville to the grounds, we append the following letter from Capt. Jno. Woodburn:

CINCINNATI, April 21, 1883.

Mr. J. D. Kehoe—Dear Sir: You can depend on my having a boat to run M. 15th to 18th. I will give the name of the boat the 1st of May so you can have it put on your bill or elsewhere, so you need not look for her as I will be glad to furnish the boat. For reference I give Uncle James Hall and Ed. Mitchell, who they will go ball for my good conduct while the races last.

Yours most respectfully,

CAPT. JOHN WOODBURN.

Prof. H. K. Taylor, of Venerburg.

Ed. Bulletin: The common school system is very justly claiming the attention of our people at this time. There seems to be an all prevalent conviction in the minds of the people that our system of free education is not what it ought to be; that it needs developing, improving, possibly supplanting. All great and successful enterprises, whatever be their nature, must be embodied in the man who is at their head. He must have brains to devise, heart to sympathize with the undertaking and will to execute. This is no less true with regard to the Superintendent of Public Instruction than it is in other things. The man must contain the system; it must develop from him; be the product of his being. The gentleman whose name heads this article is announced as a candidate for the office of Superintendent of Public Instruction. He has brains, heart and will, fearless in following out his convictions of right. Prof. Taylor is such a man as Kentucky should be glad to honor, and to avail herself of his services. He asks the nomination of the Democracy of the State. Let Mason County Democrats consider his claims and if they can not give him first instructions, at least, give him second instructions. Certainly this much is due him, and due the neighboring county of which he is a native.

REFORM.

MADAME HAYNES RILEY can be professionally consulted Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at the Hill House in this city, until the first of September.

**COUNTY POINTS.**

**HELENA.**

Farmers busy plaiting corn.

Fruit much improved by the frosts.

J. J. White's house is being painted.

L. T. Thomas is off on a business trip to Kansas.

Mrs. A. W. Allen, of Moorefield, Ky., is visiting relatives here.

Much sickness, and the M. B.'s are busy.

Mrs. J. H. Shaiklin is visiting friends at Carlisle.

The work of building the Mill creek turnpike is being pushed rapidly.

We are glad to see our old friend W. B. Rollins is able to go about again.

Cook Brothers have added a neat veranda to their residence, improving the appearance thereof.

Charles D. Calvert has completed his storehouse and opened a full stock of groceries.

Servants at the M. E. Church on the second Lord's day will be in the afternoon instead of morning.

Wm. Calvert has enclosed his premises with a neat fence.

R. W. Wells attended the Louisville tobacco sales this week.

The residence of J. H. Wood caught fire Saturday evening from a defective flue, but was extinguished after slight damage.

GREEK HORN.

**WASHINGTON.**

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Gill has returned home from Ashland, Mo., accompanied by Mrs. Gill's cousin and brother.

Regular preaching at the M. E. Church Sunday by Rev. F. S. Pollett.

Mr. W. P. Hollerby and little daughter, of Augusta, are the pleasant guests of Mrs. D. L. Hunter.

Mr. Charles Collins has been building a barn for Mr. Chancellor, of Bourbon county.

Mr. Alex. Hunter is laying a nice brick pavement laid before his residence. John McCarthy is doing the work.

Miss Sudie Layhama, of Maysville, spent a few days with her aunt, Mrs. James Marshall.

Misses Annie Thompson and Willa Burgoine visited Mrs. J. J. Thompson, of Fern Leaf, Saturday and Sunday.

**DARKNESS AND DAYLIGHT.**

**GLENVILLE.**

Mr. J. T. Nash has completed his store house.

Robert Hard sold to John Kling last week a bay mare for \$125, cash.

Mr. Brice Lyons returned from Cincinnati last week and reports the market pretty bad.

Prof. Tate preached a very interesting discourse here on Sunday last. He will preach on the second and third Sundays here in each month.

**CITIZEN.**

**MILLWOOD.**

When has come forth wonderfully in the last few weeks. Gardens that were cultivated and planted in the middle of April have come up and look nicely. There have been several frosts but they have not damaged the fruit.

Prof. Calvert's school will close in June, and he is such a competent teacher in mathematics and other branches. It would be to the advantage of patrons of the school to secure his services for next term.

Hogs are selling very high \$10 to \$7.50.

Mumps are prevalent in this vicinity.

Rev. S. Sims and Godby will hold a re-organized meeting at Field's Chapel beginning next Sunday.

Mr. T. L. Best has gone to Cincinnati to attend tobacco sales. Mr. Best is well experienced in the tobacco business and parties who still hold their tobacco wool do well to call on him.

**FIDELITY.**

**FEAR LEAF.**

Mr. and Mrs. James Ashbury, have been visiting friends on Shawnee.

The prospects for a fair crop of wheat in this locality is much better than it was a few weeks ago.

Mr. John Jones and sister, Miss Ida Jones, returned on Sunday evening from a visit to the family of Mr. Horace Fleming, near Mr. physiologist.

Mrs. Sallie Worthington, who has been on a visit to her daughter near Louisville, has returned.

We gave a plain statement of facts in reference to the difference in the church at Mt. Gildead and have nothing further to say on the subject.

We wish to say to the gentlemen who lost their sack of meal last Saturday, that if they will inquire of the young gentleman who helped to carry off a certain wagon bed that he can give them information concerning it.

Mr. and Mrs. Worthington are visiting relatives in Cincinnati.

We returned Tuesday from a pleasant visit to the family of Mr. W. W. Bean, in Dayton, Ky.

We understand that a lady upon Shannon, when reading the Fern Leaf items aloud for company, week before last, skipped the first line. We wonder why?

Mrs. Joshua Burgess and Mrs. J. W. Evans, left this morning for the Queen City, where they will remain the balance of the week.

A young gentleman of this vicinity having a sweetheart named Mollie, who wished him to write an original poem for her album, indicated the following:

"O! Mollie, Mollie,  
Oh! Poet, Poet."

We arrived on Sunday afternoon, from a delightful visit to Murphysville and Shadown.

One of the most pleasant social events that we have enjoyed for some time was at the residence of Mr. Joshua Burgess, last Wednesday evening. We returned many thanks to the young gentlemen who took such special care of our conveyance during the evening.

P. E. M.

Old Si seemed in an unusual good humor yesterday morning. "What are you grinning about now?" asked the society editor. "I wuz dess memberin' 'bout de cake-walk las' nite!" "Were you there?" "Deed I wuz—I wuz discheermon ob de judges!" "Oh, you were?" Well, who took the cake?" "De judges!" "Why, how was that?" "Well, day kep up de wank fer knrisd'bul time, an' de price ob de cake wnz only fo' dollars an' de time ob de judges wnz wuf 'bout six dollars—so de judges took de cake an' de winner took de wank!" And again the old man chuckled audibly over the episode.—Georgia Major.

REFORM.

Kites, balls and hammocks at Phister's.

**CITY ITEMS.**

Advertisements inserted under this heading 10¢ per line for each insertion.

TRY Langdon's City Butter Crackers.

Tobacco cottons, yard wide, at Hunt & Doyle's.

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New carpets, floor oil cloths and rugs at Hunt & Doyle's.

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CHAMBER SETS \$20 and upward, Chairs \$3 set and upward, Rattan Rocking Chairs \$6.50 and upward, Largest stock of Parlor Suites in style \$45 to \$200. WHITE & ORT.

DOMESTIC Reviews, fashion plates, catalogues, patterns, at Hunt & Doyle's.

croquet sets \$1.00. Framed Chromos \$1.25. One dozen lead pencils 10¢, rolling hoops, kites, hammocks, bats and bats at \$1.19. PHTHER'S book store.

CANNED tomatoes 10¢, corn 10 and 15¢, peaches, three pounds, 10 and 20¢. Jellies, two pounds, 20¢. JOHN WHEELER, 119 Market street.

ELASTIC ROOF PAINT, \$1.00 a square for 100 ft. From clay paint, brown or black, \$2.00 square for shingles. Enquire at BULLETTIN office.

L. B. ARMSTRONG.

GENUINE Barn Rubber hose 25 to 30 cents a foot and warrant ed. Fit up bath rooms a specialty

